REMARKS

The foregoing amendment corrects the Patent Office error in the title on the Notice of Allowance to read --HYBRID MAIZE PLANT & SEED 34G13-- instead of "HYBIRD MAIZE PLANT & SEED 34G13".

Applicant respectfully submits this correction is needed for proper disclosure and protection of the invention and requires no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the PTO. Applicant respectfully submits there was a typographical error in the Notice of Allowance mailed January 9, 2004. No new matter has been added.

In addition, Applicant submits the issue fee is being paid separately on the following business day.

No fees or extensions of time are believed to be due in connection with this amendment; however, consider this a request for any extension inadvertently omitted, and charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 26-0084.

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